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Title of Application:

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENCAPSULATING UNIVERSAL SERIAL
BUS MESSAGING OVER LINK LAYER COMMUNICATION PROTOCOL**

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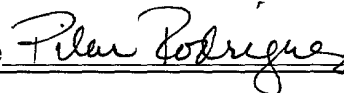
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